Welcome Back Weekend

May 2nd and 3rd, 2009

Patoka Lake Visitor Center

&

Patoka Modern Campgrounds Center Shelterhouse

Come and celebrate the season of SPRING as Patoka offers programs and activities for a memorable outdoor experience.

This is part of Indiana's Welcome Back & In-Shape special event hosted at most of the state parks and reservoirs.

For more information, please call the Patoka Lake Visitor Center 812.685.2447.

Saturday, May 2nd

- **10a.m. 3p.m. Resident raptors, Bald Eagle C52 and Redtail Hawk** will be out in the viewing area of the Visitor Center. Come take a close-up look.
- **10a.m. IN-Shape Walk** ~ Wear comfortable shoes and join in this fun 2 mile walk along the fitness trail with 32 stations and wildlife to see. **Meet at the modern campgrounds shelterhouse**.
- **10a.m. Quest** ~ Learn about an exciting new adventure for all ages at DNR State Parks and Reservoirs properties.
- **1p.m. Birds of Prey** ~ Hear the story about 2 amazing raptors. How much does a bald eagle weigh? How does a bald eagle hunt for and catch its food. Learn about eagles and how many active nest sites are located around Patoka Lake.

Sunday, May 3rd

- **10a.m. 3p.m. Resident raptors, Bald Eagle C52 and Redtail Hawk** will be out in the viewing area of the Visitor Center. Come take a close-up look.
- **Narrows Hike** ~ Hear stories from Patoka's past and enjoy a short walk on the road through history.
- **1p.m. Owls of Patoka** ~ Learn about some of the common and not so common owls, the hunters of the night with a live guest.
- **3p.m.** Wildflowers of Spring ~ Take a fascinating look at some of nature's bloomers as we celebrate the season. Indoor and outdoor program.